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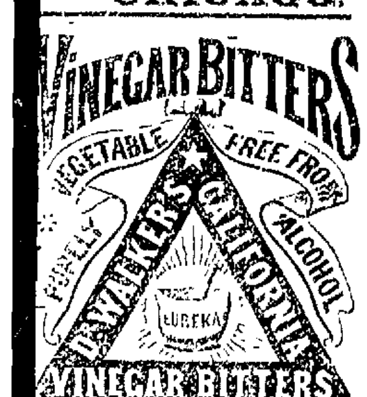

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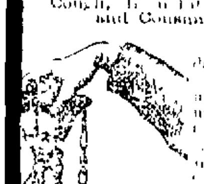

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ON AND AFTER MONDAY, MAY 31, 1875, trains will depart from and arrive at Decatur, daily, except Sunday, as follows:

GOING EAST.

Passenger......1:15 p m
Freight and Accommodation......7 00 a m

ARRIVE AT DECATUR.

Passenger......11,15 a m
Freight and Accommodation......5,00 p m

H. C. MOORE,
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MAIN LINE:

GOING WEST:

No. 1 Through Express......2 10 a. m
" 3 Fast Express......12 00 m.
" 5 Kansas City Express......7 25 a. m

GOING EAST:

No. 2 Lightning Express......11 20 p. m
" 4 Atlantic " ......1 50 p. m
" 6 New York Fast Line......6 05 a. m

The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going east......9:15 a. m......7:45 p. m
Going west......2:15 p. m......9 00 p. m

PEORIA DIVISION:

DEPART:

No 71 Express......7 30 a. m
" 73 Mail......2 00 p. m

ARRIVE:

No 72 Express......11 10 p. m
" 74 Mail......11 35 a. m

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:

DEPART:

No. 41 Through Express......2 45 a. m
" 43 Fast Express......12 05 p. m
" 45 Accommodation......5 45 a. m

ARRIVE:

No. 42 Lightning Express......11 15 p. m
" 44 Atlantic " ......1 25 p. m
" 46 Accommodation......9 20 p. m

R. ANDREWS, Gen'l Sup't, Toledo.
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K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

THROUGH TIME BY THE

I. B. & W. ROUTE.

EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.
Lv Decatur			2 00 p m
Ar Monticello			3 10 "
" Champaign			3 50 "
" Chicago			7 30 a m
Lv Champaign	6 45 a m	11 00 a m	11 55 p m
Ar Danville	8 15 a m	12 23 p m	1 50 a m
T., W. & W. R R			
Lv Decatur	6 05 a m		11 30 p m
" Tolono	7 21 a m		12 12 a m
Ar Danville	8 30 a m		1 58 a m
I., B. & W. R. R.			
Lv Danville	8 30 a m	12 42 p m	2 05 a m
Ar Indianapolis	12 40 p m	4 10 p m	6 15 a m
Cincinnati	6 00 p m	9 20 p m	12 15 p m
" Dayton		8 25 p m	2 45 p m
Columbus		11 30 p m	5 55 p m
Zanesville		2 12 a m	
" Wheeling		6 35 a m	
" Washington	5 00 p m	8 17 p m	5 00 p m
" Baltimore	6 00 p m	9 15 p m	6 45 p m
" Pittsburg		6 15 a m	2 05 a m
" Harrisburg		2 55 p m	11 35 a m
" Philadelphia	10 45 p m	6 20 p m	3 35 p m
" New York		9 15 p m	6 45 p m
" Crestline		4 20 a m	
" Cleveland		7 10 a m	
" Buffalo		1 10 p m	
" Boston		10 00 a m	
" Louisville		11 10 p m	12 45 p m
" Nashville		7 20 a m	

No. 6 via T., W. & W. Ry, will leave Decatur daily except Saturday. All other trains daily except Sunday.

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Decatur, Ill.

Illinois Central R. R

Trains Leave Decatur.

GOING NORTH.

Passenger......1 35 A M Sundays excepted
Stock Express......11 00 A M " "
Freight......3 25 P M " "
" & accom......5 20 P M " "

GOING SOUTH.

Passenger......5 20 P M Sundays excepted
Accommodation......11 00 A M " "
Freight......7 50 A M " "
Freight......3 10 P M " "

The 3:25 train going north does not carry passengers.

A. MITCHELL, Gen'l Supt., Chicago.
J. C. CLARK, Gen'l Manager, "
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GOING EAST.

No. 3.

Leave Decatur......7 00 a. m
Arrive at Terre Haute......12 05 p. m.
" " Indianapolis......1 10 "
" " Cincinnati......9 20 "
" " Louisville......11 10 "

No. 1.

Arrive from Peoria......8 20 "
Leave Decatur......8 25 "
Arrive at Terre Haute......1 15 a. m.
" " Indianapolis......4 00 "
" " Cincinnati......8 45 "

GOING WEST.

No. 2.

Arrive from Terre Haute......6 50 a. m
Leave for Peoria......7 00 a. m.
Arrive at " ......11 10 a. m.
" " Rock Island......6 30 p. m.
" " Decatur......9 10 p. m.

Train No. 4 arrives from the east at 9:10 p. m., and lays over here until the next morning at 7 o'clock, when it leaves for Terre Haute and Indianapolis.

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In the matter of JOHN MAHER, Bankrupt, In Bankruptcy.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of an order made by Hon. Samuel H. Treat, Judge, the undersigned will sell at public sale, at the west door of the court-house, in Decatur, on SATURDAY, the NINTH DAY OF OCTOBER, A. D. 1875, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, the following described real estate situate in Macon county, Illinois, to-wit:

Fifteen (15) acres off the west side of the west half of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section twenty-nine (29), in township seventeen (17) north, range three (3) east of the third principal meridian; also the north half of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section twenty-eight (28), township seventeen (17) north, range three (3) east of the third principal meridian, containing twenty (20) acres, more or less; also lot three (3), of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section twenty-eight (28), township and range aforesaid, containing twenty (20) acres, more or less; also the south half of the west half of the southwest quarter of section twenty nine (29), same township and range, containing forty (40) acres, more or less.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-half of purchase money cash in hand, the balance in six months from the day of said sale; deferred payment to be secured by note and mortgage on the land sold.

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" West and St. Louis, on T., W. & W......11:20 A. M.
" Peoria, on Ill. M. R. R......11:20 A. M.
" East and Chicago, on T. W. & W.,......1:00 P. M.
" East, on Ind. & Ill. Cent......1:00 P. M.
" Pekin & Peoria, on T., W. & W.,......1:00 P. M.
" Monticello and Champaign, on I. B. & W.......1:00 P. M.
" South, on Ill. Cent......4:45 "
" Chicago, St. Louis & Lafayette,......7:30 "
" North & East of Lafayette......7:30 "
" Sullivan and Mattoon......7:30 "

MAILS ARRIVE

From South, St. Louis and East......5:30 A. M.
" Sullivan and Mattoon......6:30 "
" Chicago, Cincinnati and Lafayette......7:30 "
" Monticello and Champaign, on I. B. & W.......11:30 "
" Peoria, via I. M. R. R.......11:30 "
" East, on I. & I. C......12:00 M.
" East & Pekin, on T. W. & W.,......12:00 P. M.
" Terre Haute, on I. M. R. R.,......12:00 "
" West and St. Louis, on T., W. & W.......1:45 "
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I have no patience with that religion which stops short of paying honest debts. While it is true that the most scrupulous honesty, without holiness, can never open the gate of heaven, it is also true that dishonesty will shut the door of salvation against the soul. While you have unsettled accounts with men, God will have unsettled accounts against you. There is as much religion in *paying* as in *praying.* He that prays to God, and never pays to men, will find himself a spiritual bankrupt, when the final settlement comes.

On this point I do not wish to be misunderstood. I do not mean to say it is impossible for a man to get into heaven, if he goes out of this world leaving debts unpaid. I can well understand how even a Christian man, in honest dealing, may sometimes become involved in debts beyond what he is able to pay. Such a man may die in debt and be saved, leaving debts in this world that never can nor will be paid. We are talking about the man who has the money in his pocket, and who says he has religion in his heart, but whose religion is not long enough nor strong enough to reach down into his pockets to take the money out to pay his honest debts.

I would not give a brimstone match for all the religion in the world that consists wholly and altogether in an inward experience of holy feelings. With a brimstone match you may strike a light and kindle a fire, but there is no light nor life in an inward holiness that is not developed into an outward honesty. We want a religion that will have such an interest and control over man's outward conduct, that it will make them honest traders and good neighbors. The religion of Jesus Christ will do this, because it is a holiness in the heart that shows its power in the honesty of the life.

True religion will make a man honest in those transactions where the law cannot reach him. There are crimes which, neither the *rules of society* nor the laws of the land can reach—crimes which neither cause men to stagger on the street, nor swing under the gallows, nor get locked up in jail; true religion will keep a man from all such crimes. It is a power for honesty that goes before and beyond demands of the law. That religion which barely keeps a man out of the penitentiary, will not admit him into the kingdom of heaven. A man may be honest without being holy, but he cannot be holy without being honest.—*J. N. Otis.*

WOMEN YOU MEET IN THE CARS.

There is the woman that drives you mad by never being discomposed in either manner or dress. Her hair is as smooth as though it had been ironed; her face is as clean as though cinders and dust were an unknown quantity; her boots and gloves are new; they fit *so perfectly that you are quite sure her* hands and feet were poured into them. She is not without wisdom in being *bien chaussee* and *gantee.* When people have nothing to do or to think about, they are reduced to extremities. But when this immaculately-attired woman emerges *from* her section, after a sleepless night's journey, as calmly unrumpled as on her first appearance, endurance ceases to be a virtue. She is a reproach to earth and man. People have no business to go through life without coming in contact with it. The immaculately-attired woman has *no* wrinkles. She never will have. She sheds feelings precisely as she sheds dust. They slide off her. I don't approve of her at all, but I do wish my boots and gloves looked like hers. Then there is the frowzy woman. The longer she travels the more "scratched up" her general appearance. Her children, between the ages of three and seven, browse upon everything in general, making night hideous by crying and day hideous by permeating the atmosphere with their uneasy selves. Her husband wears paper collars, puts his boots on in public, and reads violently illustrated papers.—*Kate Field.*

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C. C. McComas,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND STATES Attorney for Macon county. Office:—Over the Post Office, Decatur, Ill.

Dec. 13, 1873-dawtf.

W. C. JOHNS,

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September 5, 1874-daw3m.

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The Daily Republican.

HAMSHER & MOSSER, Publishers.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Wednesday Evening, Sept. 22.

Republican County Ticket.

For County Treasurer,
GEORGE M. WOOD.
For County Surveyor,
GEORGE V. LORING.

THE *Tribune* is endeavoring to throw dust in the people's eyes on the salary-grab question, but the fact still remains that Mr. Park has put the county to a heavy expense for clerk hire, in order that he might enjoy a season of rest and recreation while in office. There is not a business man here, who is familiar with the duties of the treasurer's office, but will say that of the $1298.83 of extra expense incurred by Mr. Park for clerk hire, more than *one thousand dollars* of it might have been saved to the people of the county if that gentleman had been able and willing to do as much work as his predecessors in office. Will the *Tribune* please explain why it is that every man familiar with the duties of that office is of the opinion that Mr. Park has been an exceedingly expensive officer, in spite of his economy?

CYRUS L. PERSHING, the Democratic candidate for Governor of Pennsylvania, refuses to resign the office of Judge which he now holds. He evidently thinks he has not a sure thing on the Governorship. The Rochester *Democrat* commends his action, saying: "That's right, Judge; never let go with your hands till your feet touch the ground."

WHAT's the amount of *fines collected* by this bailiff's party and turned over to the school fund? What's the amount sacrificed for the success of party candidates? Who takes their pay from fees collected, and who collects fees enough to pay their salary? What was the $150 paid E. A. Piper for? and why was it necessary to employ an examiner of the affair of this bailiff's party? Let the Texas member of the board of supervisors speak out at his earliest convenience, and let the people know why E. A. Piper was allowed to take that $150 of this money.—*Tribune.*

The *Tribune* is reminded that the investigation into the matter of "fines collected" was made under a resolution introduced by a Republican member of the board of supervisors, and that it is a cardinal principle of the Republican party that the acts of public officials should be frequently investigated, so that, if found wrong, the erring servant of the people may be brought to account.

MR. BLAINE'S own district in Maine and the surrounding country returned the usual Republican majority at the late election. This circumstance will be mentioned in the national convention of 1876.

AS EXPECTED.

For some days past it has been apparent that Oglesby's *post office ring* held the control of the republican monopoly convention, as the nomination of Sheriff, Deputy, Bailiff, C. M. Wood for Treasurer, has shown Oglesby's principal men, such as his banker, his post master, his boss carpenter, his lumber man, his chief clothier, his hard money suitor, his large pill doctor, supported by his office seeking troupe of *back summersault tumblers*,—all under the management of his friend and delegate-making for whose nomination a year ago, he made that wonderful speech. How do you suppose I would feel voting for any law without first knowing whether the people would approve it or not, and to reward that noble effort of his master as he did appoint more delegates to the ring convention, that convened last Saturday, under the name of republican, than all the republican voters in the townships of the county.

"This said official used his his appointing power to secure the nomination of his acting deputy, (and bailiff for the pay) was convincing to all that a *republican* "*whipper-snapper*" was of more value to the party, than the *location* of a "*feeble minded*" institution" would have been to the brick makers, masons, carpenters, painters, plumbers, gardeners, etc., of Decatur.—*Decatur Tribune.*

After perusing the above we are so overwhelmed that we can only exclaim, in the language of the immortal Jack Bunsby: "Whereby, why not? If so, what odds? Can any man say otherwise? No. Avast then! Do I say so? Which? If a skipper stands out by Sen' George's Channel, making for the Downs, what's right ahead of him? The Goodwins. He isn't forced to run upon the Goodwins, but he may. The bearings of this observation lays in the application on it. That ain't no part of my duty. Avast then!"

Call at Linn & Scruggs' for Ribbons and Hamburg Edging 21-dawtf

(*Concluded.*)

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Supervisor Camron offered the following which was adopted:

Resolved, That the amount of arrearages of road tax assessed by the commissioners of highways of the several towns of the county, for the current year and returned by the overseers of highways as unpaid, be and the same is levied on the land and personal property so returned, and to be collected in the same manner that the contingent charges of the county are levied and collected.

The committee on roads and bridges made the following report which was adopted:

We, your committe on roads and bridges, would beg leave to make the following report: We would recommend the Board of Supervisors to appropriate out of the revenue for the year 1875, one thousand dollars ($1000.) for grading and trestling the approaches to the town bridge over the Sangamon river, south of the town of Niantic. The width on top to be sixteen feet and above high water mark, no money to be paid by the county until the work is completed, provided that Niantic township will complete said work in case they comply this appropriation to be null and void.

F. H. Coleman,
Riman Ward,
G. W. Gillispie,
J. R. Ash, } Com.

Supr. Ash was appointed a committee of one on behalf of the county to superintend said work.

Supr. Grason offered the following which was adopted:

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of Macon County, that the sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000) be appropriated out of the county revenue of 1875, for the purpose of building good iron bridge, with iron, brick or stone abutments, with the necessary trestle work and grading, across the Sangamon river and Sangamon river water mark, and sixteen feet wide on top, provided the townships of Decatur and Long Creek raise a sufficient amount by tax or donations to complete said bridge, abutments, trestle work and grading, and no money to be paid by the county until the completion of said work, as specified above. The trestle work to be made as stated in the plan and specifications now before this board. Said bridge to be a public road.

The construction of the bridge on the part of the county shall be entrusted to a committee of two appointed by the chairman of this Board.

The chairman appointed as said committee, Suprs. Durfee and Gillispie.

On motion of Supr Orr the Board adjourned until half past one o'clock P. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present, same as on forenoon.

The finance committee made the following report which was ordered by the Board to be recorded and filed:

The finance committee beg leave to report that they have examined the report of R. H. Park, County Treasurer, and find that he has paid since the June meeting of the County Board—

In jurors' certificates,	$ 662.10
" county orders,	7129 91
	$7,792.01

We have compared the vouchers with report and find them correct, and have destroyed the same by burning. We also find that the County Treasurer has received of county tax on real and personal property for the year 1874, $34,123.14
On railroad tax, 1874, 3,744.12
On redeemed lands forfeited for years 1873 and 1873, 43.36
Of C. C. McComas on ape of reports of railroad crossings, 254.80

Total amt. of receipts	$58,164 98
CONTRA.	
By amt. of coms. allowed town collector on $61,854 76 at 2 per cent.	$ 837.08
By amt. of county orders and jurors' certificates collected	43,548 23
" amt. of insols excles, removals, errors, forfeitures, printers' fees, &c	272 28
" amt. of treas' coms. on amt. of tax collected by him 2 per cent.	578 99
" amt of treas' coms on amt rec'd by him 1 per cent	540.81
" amt of treas' coms on 43,548.23 paid out	435.48
" amt paid sheriff as per order of Board 147 87-100 and Gillette's orders 871	188 05
" amt of coms on 188 05-100	1 80
" " " " 8254 30 amt rec'd	254
McComas " amt of railroad tax the collection of which is enjoined	1,763.11
" amt remaining in the treasury	10 188 82
	$58,164 98

and find as certified by J. Millikin & Co. that the above balance of $10,188.82 is on deposit with them.

We also find that the Treasurer has received from the State Treasurer $10,735.54, Macon county's portion of the refunding fund. We have examined his vouchers and find that he has refunded to the tax payers of Macon county $9,733 82, leaving a balance yet to be refunded of $4,001 52, and we have destroyed the vouchers of amt. refunded by burning. The report of County Treasurer together with his list of county orders and jurors' certificates and list of refunding receipts and other vouchers are herewith submitted.

We find that the Treasurer has received from fees earned in his office since his report in December, 1874, $2,804.51. We also herewith file vouchers for necessary clerk hire for refunding the excess of tax of 1873 amounting to $585 33, and paid Hamsher & Mosser for notice to tax payers $7.50, making a total paid out of fees of $59 83. All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. S Gage,
John A. Hensy,
Hiram Ward, } Com.

The Board appointed the following named persons to act as judges of election in the different voting districts in the town of Decatur, for the election to be held in November next:

First district.	Second district.
Jacob H Miller,	W. J. Usrey,
David L Hughes,	Milburn Glore,
Benj H. Cassell.	Benjamin Dill.
Third dist.	Fourth dist.
Ichabod Baldwin,	Michael Elsen,
Chas. Conklin,	Fred. Knay,
W. W. Mason.	John N Bills.

The affidavits of several tax payers of Macon county to the loss of their tax receipts for the year 1873 were presented to the Board.

On motion of Supr Grason the clerk of the Board was directed to certify to the Treasurer the description of the property in the several affidavits in order that they may obtain the tax due them under the refunding act.

The committee on paupers and poor farm to whom was referred the following claim, report in favor of allowing the same, which report was adopted by the Board and warrants ordered drawn in payment of the same:

To M. Forstinger for service in attending to wants of paupers	$25 00
" H. M Wallis for services as steward of poor farm, second quarter of 1875	275.00
" Mary Frost for keeping paupers by order of Suprs.	42.15
" Wm. A. Wilson for keeping a pauper child by order of Supr	20.00
To Mrs. Seybold for keeping a pauper 8 weeks, $50, amt allowed	7 50
To V. Barber & Co for shoes for paupers at poor farm	12 50
To Jacob Spangler for services in attending to paupers, money advanced, &c	86 95
To Jos Leslie for medical attention to paupers by order of Supr	4 00

The committee on fees and salaries of county officers to whom was referred the following claims, report in favor of allowing the same, which report was adopted by the Board and warrants ordered drawn in payment of the same:

To I D Jennings for services as Sheriff May term of Court, serving jurors, and fees in people's cases, which is in full of his salary and pay of deputy to Sept 1	$ 339 50
To H W Waggoner for services as Clerk in attending county court, recording proceedings, &c	154 15
To S P Nickey for services as Supt of schools 22 days	22 00
EXPENSE OF SUPERVISORS' COURT.	
For services of Supervisors	$110 20
To H W Waggoner for services as clerk 3 days at $3 per day	9 00
To I D Jennings for services as sheriff 3 days at $3 per day	9 00

On motion of Supr. Durfee the Board adjourned until the first Monday in December, at one o'clock.

H. W. WAGGONER, County Clerk.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

(Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.)

A Fearful Catastrophe

Total Destruction of the Town of Indianola, Texas.

Dead Bodies Scattered Along twenty Miles of Seashore.

A CRY FOR HELP.

The Indian Council Opens.

An Official Purloined of Appeal Bonds.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 21.—A Galveston steamship has just arrived. The purser states that the town of Indianola is almost entirely demolished. Lighthouses and wharfs, business houses and dwellings were broken in pieces and swept away. There are only three houses remaining that are not deluged. The telegraph office is gone, signal office damaged, telegraph lines down for miles, the railroad tracks washed away, and houses, fences and trees piled up in broken masses in the streets. Reports of loss of life are conflicting. All agree that there were 100 to 150 lives lost.

LATER.—The Morgan ship Harlan came into port this morning. A large crowd gathered on the wharf to learn the fate of Indianola. The destruction there is almost complete. Only five business houses are left. The people are suffering for food and clothing. The beach, for twenty miles, is strewn with dead bodies. The following note is received:

INDIANOLA, Sept. 20.—*Editors News:* We are destitute. The town is gone and one-quarter of the people dead. Bodies are strewn for twenty miles along the bay. Nine-tenths of the houses are destroyed. Send us help for God's sake.

[Signed] D. W. CRAIN,
District Attorney.

The following is from a correspondent: Wednesday, the 15th, winds from the eastward, veering to the north. On Thursday all became more steady, increasing to a gale. Water was waist deep, and every man, woman and child were seeking places of safety. Blew fearful. Situation awful. The screams of women and children could be heard in every direction The water was six feet deep in the streets. About 2 o'clock Friday morning the wind veered to the northwest, and the waves then became chopped; houses were washed away or tumbled to pieces. The wind, toward morning began to lull a little.

Along the bay daylight revealed a scene terrible to behold The town could not be recognized as Indianola of the day previous. Total ruin everywhere. People were seen walking and jumping over one gully and another. Neighbor met neighbor and told their troubles of the night previous. Death and destruction all around us; houses crushed to the ground; others swayed round and leaning over; bodies of men, women and children found in all directions. Police and guards were organized and 60 or 70 bodies found and buried. Women were found, and men also, who had floated off on doors or anything they could get hold of, miles away. Some, beneath their roofs, were carried away long distances. The escape of so many is miraculous. Search for bodies is still going on. Estimated number of lives lost is 150. H J. Lourke, Mr. A. Coffin, mother and family, nearly all of Wm. Morrison's household, 21 in number; Rev. Mr. Jope and family. Of 21 perished 18 bodies were found yesterday.

All the churches are swept away; also the Masonic lodge. Out of 55 persons Capt. Sam. Brown and two of his family were saved by taking refuge in the light-house. Brown is the only surviving pilot at the Pass. About all of Capt. DeCrouse's family is lost. The Victoria people hearing of it, nobly sent assistance at once. Out of the entire force of pilots only one is alive. Information from Corpus Christi reports that town safe. The town of Saluria is entirely washed away. Telegraph lines are prostrated for miles. Citizens of Galveston are organizing for relief of survivors at Indianola, and clothing will be sent them.

Below, on the island, for ten or twelve miles, scarcely a house remains in the western part of the city.

A *Bulletin* extra has the following regarding Indianola: The first of the storm carried away the telegraph lines, and thus communication between Galveston and Indianola was cut off. Indianola is situated at Mattagorda bay. There is no protection in front of it. It had 1,000 inhabitants, and the loss it seems, is fully one-fifth. Fears are entertained that Rockford, Mattagorda and Corpus Christi have suffered.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 21.—Col. Clowry, Assistant General Superintendent of the telegraph company, received the following from Galveston: "Additional accounts of the Indianola disaster say the loss of life and suffering is terrible. Dead bodies are strewn for 20 miles along the beach. Citizens here are organizing for relief. Will send them food and clothing. Over one hundred bodies were found and buried up to the time the steamer left. Telegraph Manager Sanborn is reported safe, but the offices and lines are gone for miles."

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 21.—Superintendent Clowry, of the Western Union Telegraph Company, communicates to General Supesintendent Anson Stager as follows:

"The Morgan steamship, has just arrived at Galveston and reports the town of Indianola, Texas, almost entirely destroyed. The light houses, wharfs and nearly every house is swept away, and from one hundred to one hundred and fifty lives were lost. The steamer could find no place to land her cargo."

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—Charles G. Fisher, late Assistant United States Attorney, who was arrested late last night on a charge of stealing appeal bonds, in forty District cases which had been appealed from the police court to the criminal court, waived an examination this morning and was held to answer before the grand jury now in session. The police have not only recovered the papers charged to have been stolen, but an additional number of equal importance.

Fisher had placed them with another party, from whom they were obtained. The object was to realize money on them. The statutes provide as a punishment for such offenses a fine of $2,000 or hard labor three years, or both, in the discretion of the court. The accused is a son of Judge Fisher, late United States Attorney for the District of Columbia.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—At East Brunswick, New Jersey, yesterday, James Garland, music dealer and teacher, shot his wife three times, then believing her dead, locked himself in his room, shot himself three times and opened the main artery in his arm. Failing to die quickly enough, he crushed his own skull with a heavy hammer. He was breathing when found, but died soon after. His wife is seriously but not fatally wounded.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 21.—Col. John A. Joyce, ex-Revenue Agent, was arrested to day, charged with conspiring to defraud the revenue.

RED CLOUD AGENCY, Neb., Sept. 21.—The Indian committee appointed to select a place for holding the council, failed to agree, and the commissioners, yesterday, selected ground themselves about a mile nearer Spotted Tail agency than that previously selected. Quite a number of Missouri Indians, being tired of waiting, left for home yesterday. A large tent has been erected on the ground, preparatory to a big talk, tomorrow. The Indians are all to be notified, to-day, to be on hand. A large party of military start out to the bad lands of Dakota, to-day, for the purpose of collecting fossils.

Red Cloud came into the agency, this morning, just as these dispatches are closed, declaring that neither himself nor his people would attend the council unless it is held inside the stockade of this agency. The commissioners have decided to hold the council as arranged. Red Cloud is a surly and ill-natured Indian, and has been one of the principal leaders among the Sioux in all their difficulties with the whites during the past twenty years. He is not as shrewd as Spotted Tail, of whom he is very jealous.

THE *Tribune* seems to be insanely solicitous about Mr. Durfee's committee, and its position on the question of Mr. Park's salary grab. Is that paper controlled by an ignoramus or a knave? Mr. Park's bill for clerk hire was never before Mr. Durfee's committee, nor before any committee of which that gentleman is a member He, however, opposed Mr. Park's bill for clerk hire when it came up in the board last week, and will doubtless have something to say on the subject when the matter comes up for final settlement, at the December term.

A Splendid Stock of Ladies' Suits will be closed out cheap, at Linn & Scruggs'. 21-dawtf

Found,—A basket of carpenter's tools, which the owner can recover by paying for this advertisement. 4-dtf

New Advertisements.

FOR SALE!

ABOUT 10 ACRES—A fine suburban place in the northwest part of the city, about one mile and a half from the postoffice, a beautiful elevation, commanding a view of the entire city. There is a fine, large orchard, small fruit, grapes, and shrubbery in abundance; a one story comfortable frame house; barn, well, etc., etc. This place is offered at a price that would make it a choice investment.

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HOUSE AND LOT

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UNDIVIDED HALF OF 4 ACRES,

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At reasonable rates.

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DECATUR, ILL., Sept. 20, 1875—d2m*

Trustee's Sale,

WHEREAS, Charles H. Elliott, on the 25th day of July, A. D. 1873, made his certain deed of trust bearing date the day and year aforesaid, to Hugh Crea, as trustee, upon the following described premises:

Lot one (1), in Block four (4), Peddecord & Burrows' Addition to the City of Decatur, and also, lot fifteen (15), in block one (1), in Smith & Co.'s Addition to the City of Decatur;

Said trust deed was made, as aforesaid, by the said Charles H. Elliott upon said premises to secure the payment of one promissory note executed on said day by said Charles H. Elliott for the sum of four hundred dollars ($400), payable to John McRoberts or order in twelve months after the date thereof, with interest upon said sum at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum from date;

And whereas, said note was, before the same became due, assigned by said John McRoberts, to one Sarah Keefe for a valuable consideration; and the said Sarah Keefe afterward, for a valuable consideration, assigned and delivered said note to C. B. Prescott & Co;

And whereas, said note was due and payable on the 25th day of July, A. D. 1875; and the said Charles H. Elliott, after demand having been made upon him by said C. B. Prescott & Co., for the payment of said sum of money with the interest accrued thereon, wholly neglected to pay the said sum and interest, which now amounts to four hundred and forty-five dollars and fifty-five cents ($445 55);

And whereas, said C. B. Prescott & Co. have presented said note to me, and requested me to sell said premises for the purpose of paying the same;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by said trust deed, I will, on

Wednesday, the 20th day of October, A. D. 1875, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the west door of the Court-house, in Decatur, Ill., sell for cash in hand, said lot one (1), in block four (4), in Peddecord & Burrows' Addition to the City of Decatur, and lot fifteen (15), in block one (1), in Smith & Co.'s Addition to the City of Decatur, said premises being in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, and by said sale, in accordance with the provisions of said trust deed, at the last mentioned time and place, I shall sell all the right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the said Charles H. Elliott in and to the above described premises.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 17th day of September, A. D. 1875.

Sept 18—dtd HUGH CREA, Trustee.

To All Whom it May Concern

YOU will take notice that the undersigned intends making application to the regular meeting of the City Council in October, 1875, for a license to sell intoxicating liquors, in a house situated on Lot No. 10, in Block No. 2, in Prather, Martin & Gatling's Addition to Decatur; said house owned by F. Redman.

Dated Decatur, Ill., Sept. 17th, 1875.
Sept 18—d2w TIMOTHY McCORMICK.

A NEW FIRM

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STEAM & GAS FITTERS,
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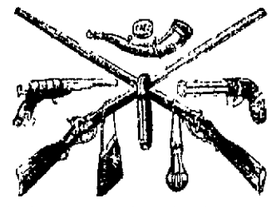

Also Keep constantly on hand a complete stock of

Guns, Pistols, Powder, Shot, Lead Caps, Wads, Fishing Tackle, &c.,

Which will be sold as cheap as the same can be bought in Central Illinois. All kinds of

MACHINE WORK AND GUNSMITHING

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April 28, 1874-dly.

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Selling very fast. Send for Circulars.—P. W. Ziegler & Co., 201 South Clark street, Chicago, Ill.

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New Cloths and Cassimers,

For men and boys, Plain, Plaid and Striped WATER-PROOFS, all grades, complete assortment of Ladies', Children's and Mens' UNDERWEAR, in different weights and sizes, full lines of Ladies' and Children's Cashmere, Merino, Wool and Cotton Hosiery, plain, and Balmoral Yarns and Felt Skirts.

OUR DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT

Is "chock" full of all kinds of Domestic Goods, all prices, Plain and Plaid Flannels, New Fringes, New Trimmings, large stock of Yak Laces, Collars, Cuffs, Ruches and Ruching, Kid Gauntlets, Kid Gloves, Table Oil Cloths, Curtain Holdbands, Nottingham Lace Curtains, Valences and Lambrequins, New Quilts, Towels, Table Cloths—in fact, as large and complete a stock of Dry Goods as was ever shown in the city—*all marked in plain figures*, and ONE-PRICE TO EVERYBODY.

Sept 20, 1875-dawtf.

DRY GOODS AT COST!

S. EINSTEIN

Will, from this day on, sell his entire stock of

Summer Goods at Cost,

In order to make room for his Fall Goods.

His stock consists of a full line of

Dress Goods, Silks, Cashmeres, Japanese Poplins and White Goods, Table Linens, Napkins, Towels.

Also, a full line of

CASSIMERES, JEANS, TWEEDS, DENIMS

A complete assortment of

BLEACHED and BROWN DOMESTICS.

A full line of

Notions, Ladies' and Gent's Furnishing Goods, Shawls and Parasols.

☞ We specify no prices, but invite all to call and see for themselves that what we say we mean. We will not be undersold by any house in the city.

DON'T FORGET THE PLACE:

NO. 21 NORTH WATER STREET

August 11, 1875—dawtf.

KEYSTONE CARRIAGE WORKS!

WAYNE BROTHERS,

MANUFACTURERS OF

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PEDDLING AND SPRING WAGONS.

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November 17, 1873. d&w-3m.

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MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }
In the Circuit Court - May Term, A. D. 1875.
FULLER & SMITH
vs.
WESLEY G. FREESE, et al.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause, at the May term, A. D. 1875, of the Circuit Court, within, and for the county of Macon and State of Illinois, the undersigned, Master in Chancery of said county, will sell on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 25th, 1875,

between the hours of nine o'clock a. m. and sunset of said day, at the west door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, Illinois, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following described property, to-wit: Lots three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6) and seven (7), block nine (9) in Reed & Co.'s addition to the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

J. A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.

Said lot are situated east of the new Pigging factory, adjoining the T., W. & W. R. R. For further particulars call on SMITH & CLOKEY, Attorneys for complainants.
August 24, 1875- d1w

WANTED AGENTS—"QUAD'S ODDS" A new book, by the Detroit *Free Press* Humorist, just published and already outselling all other books The richest book offered to the public since Mark Twain's "Innocents Abroad." Address for circulars and terms to H. H NATT & CO., Chicago, Illinois. [aug 10-d10t

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HOUSE AND LOT in WARRENSBURG smoke-house, coal-house, stable, shrubbery, &c.; well of good water. Will be sold for less than dwelling cost.

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J. M. ROGERS,
Box 21, Warrensburg, Ill.
June 2, 1875—d&w3m*

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between Peter Pohrer and J. A. Bohrer, under the name of J. A. Lohrer & Co., was dissolved on the 7th inst. by mutual consent. All parties indebted to the firm will please call at the old Chair mills and settle as their earliest convenience.

J. A. BOHRER,
PETER BOHRER

Decatur Ill., Dec. 15, 1874.

☞ The undersigned will continue the milling business at the old stand, under the firm name of Greenfield, Bohrer & Co. where they will be pleased to see all the patrons of the late firm.

JESSE GREENFIELD.
J. A. BOHRER
J. M. D. LA.
Decatur, Ill. Dec. 15, 1874.

Dissolution Notice.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between Samuel Powers and Luther L. Ferriss, in the firm name of Powers & Ferriss & Co., dealers in Boots and Shoes in Decatur, Ill., is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued at the old stand by said Luther L. Ferriss, who has always had the entire management of the old firm's business.

SAMUEL POWERS,
LUTHER L. FERRISS.
DECATUR, ILL., July 8, 1875—d1f w4t

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Eastern house, cool-house, stable, shade
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Box 92, Wurtemburg, Pa
June 2 1875—dkwly

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existing between Peter Pelton and J.
A. Bohrer, under the name of J. A. Bohrer
& Co., was dissolved on the 7th inst., by mu-
tual consent. All parties indebted to the
firm will please call at the Old Chair Mill
and settle in the earliest convenience.

J. A. BOHRER,
PETER BOHRER

Decatur, Ill., Dec. 14, 1874.

The undersigned will continue the
Chair business at the old stand, under the
name of Gruenhild, Bohrer & Co.
and will be pleased to see all the
friends of the late firm.

PETER GRUENHILD,
J. A. BOHRER,
J. M. BELL.

Decatur, Ill., Dec. 14, 1874.

Dissolution Notice.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EX-
isting between Samuel Powers and Luther
L. Ferriss, in the firm name of Powers &
Ferriss & Co., dealers in Boots and Shoes
in Decatur, Ill., is hereby dissolved by mu-
tual consent. The business will be continued
at the old stand by said Luther L. Ferriss, who is always and the only name
to be found at the old Byers's business.

SAMUEL POWERS,
LUTHER L. FERRISS.

DECATUR, ILL., July 8, 1875—dtf wtf

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The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Wednesday Evening, Sept. 22.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

☞ Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

☞ We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

WE are authorized to announce GEORGE V. LORING as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Surveyor.

WE are authorized to announce J. B. R. SHERRICK as a candidate for County Surveyor.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

..Another frost last night.

..Our hotels are full of travellers.

..Kennedy's champion biscuit at Imboden & Co.'s.

..Days are getting shorter at both ends.

..The best five-cent cigars at Niedermyer's.

..Fred. Smith has invoked the Muses again.

..D. M. Barnett & Co. receive fresh eggs and choice vegetables daily.

..For a nice dish of oysters be sure and go to the young ladies' festival, at Stapp's Chapel on Friday evening.

..The hardware stock of Sage & Son is now being closed out at private sale at wholesale prices. It is a good chance to get goods in that line cheap.

..All the best brands of tea and coffee at Lowis & Milligan's.

..The past few cold nights have had the effect to liven up the stove and coal trade. All our hardware and stove dealers are turning out lots of goods every day, and coal dealers have about all they can do to fill orders as they come in.

..Go to Newell & Hammer's for choice apples, by the barrel, bushel or peck.

..The grangers' picnic held yesterday at Shady Grove was not as fully attended as would have been the case had the weather been warmer, though a very pleasant time was enjoyed and the best of feeling prevailed.

..All kinds of printers' material, of best quality, at W. C. Armstrong's.

..A brick walk is to be laid on the west side of Water street, south from the Decatur National Bank; and the walk on the north side of West Wood street, between Main and Church, has been brought down to grade, and new plank have been laid.

..The St. Nicholas 'bus makes calls in all parts of the city by day or night.

..Choice butter and fresh eggs, at H. F. May & Bros'.

..We noticed a fellow on South Water street this morning who was thoroughly drunk before seven o'clock. It was with the greatest difficulty that he could manage to navigate the sidewalk when we saw him, and what his fate was before high noon we are not able to say.

..Every kind of school book used in Macon county may be had at I. J. Davis & Co.'s.

..Downing's hack line is always safe, and never fails to be on time.

..This forenoon five wagon loads of emigrants passed through town pointing westward. The glowing accounts of crops in Kansas and northern Missouri are having their effect in inducing people to pull up stakes and push for those regions. We hope they may not be confronted by grasshoppers next season.

..Fresh candies, choice fruits, and warm meals, at Ansbach & Cassell's.

..All the latest styles of boots and shoes at Wessels' selling at bottom figures.

..A fair congregation gathered at the Baptist church last evening, to listen to the lecture on the "Education of the Young," by Rev. J. C. Burkholder. Several important suggestions were made by the reverend gentleman, and the lecture was well received by those present.

..Choice soups, warm meals and nobby lunches, at Hartley's.

..Abel & Locke have just received and opened some beautiful styles of window curtains. Ladies in want of such goods will consult their interest by calling at once. Some taking styles of carpets just opened by this house are also attracting much attention.

..Leave orders for B. F. Taylor's hack at Armstrong's drug store.

..The St. Louis fair opens one week from next Monday. We hear many of our people speaking about attending. We presume there will be the usual reduction of fare on the railroad; if so it will be a cheap and pleasant trip for our people to make, and as a source of entertainment we presume the Exposition in St. Louis is equal to any in the country.

..If you want to have some fun,
And with pretty ladies some delight,
Go to Stapp's Chapel on Friday night;
You will get oysters fresh from Baltimore,
Sold by Fred Smith at his grocery store.

New Clothing Made to Order.—Cash paid for second-hand clothing; also, fine clothing repaired and scoured. Central block, 1st door north of Stine's clothing store. (sep7-d1m

Effects of the Frost.—We have taken pains to inquire of farmers from different parts of the county as to the effect of the frost of Monday night upon the different crops, and we are happy to learn that the damage is but little.—Much the larger proportion of the corn was entirely beyond the reach of any ordinary frost, and the fields that were planted later, the kernel of which was yet in the milk, were but slightly damaged, the grain in most cases being fully protected by the thick husk, and the freeze was not hard enough to damage the stalk. In fact the slight freezing of the leaves will have a tendency to facilitate the ripening process, as the withering of the leaves will send the sap more directly to the ear, and will make way for the sunlight to reach the grain. As a general thing potatoes were fully grown and ripe, so that the killing of the vines by frost will do no particular harm, but will rather be a benefit, as it will let the sunlight upon the ground and check any tendency to rot that might have existed on account of the covering being too wet. Tomato vines were of course nipped, but the fruit does not seem to be damaged. So from all we can learn we are satisfied that the entire damage to the crops in Macon county would not exceed five hundred dollars, if indeed it would reach that figure. The freeze of last night was less severe than that of the night before, so we can safely set it down that Macon county has passed through this cold snap comparatively unscathed.

Read!—I have this day returned from the city with a large stock of dry goods, notions, ladies and gents' furnishing goods, of the very latest styles, which I have bought for cash, and will offer special bargains in every line. Come and examine our goods and see our prices. S. EINSTEIN.

22-4d

Oyster Supper.—The young ladies of Stapp's Chapel will give an oyster supper in the lecture room of the church on Friday evening, Sept. 24th. Oysters, with other refreshments, will be in full supply. A pleasant time socially, may be expected, and a general invitation is extended to all. 4d

A Card.—For the information of my friends I wish to say that during my three months wandering over the western, northern and northwestern portions of the State of Texas, I secured about 100,000 acres of what I consider choice farming lands, well adapted to the production of corn, wheat and other small grains, cotton and vegetables of all kinds, 80,000 acres of which have been taken mostly by parties in this vicinity, leaving a balance of about 20,000 acres yet unsold, but equally as good in all respects as the 80,000 acres disposed of. Parties desiring good lands, cheap, will find it to their interest to call upon me at the office of Warren & Durfee.

H. B. DURFEE.

Macon Township Sunday School Convention.—This association will meet at the Church of God, three and a half miles east of Macon, on Sunday, October 3d; exercises to commence at 9 o'clock in the morning. An interesting programme of exercises has been prepared for the occasion, and it is expected that the convention will be a very spirited and profitable one. All persons interested in the Sunday School work are cordially invited to attend.

Branching Out.—Messrs. Minckley & Dodson have procured a room in St. Louis, at No. 209 North Fifth street, where they intend to open out an auction and commission store. If enterprise and pluck are worth anything in St. Louis (and we know of no place where there is a smaller supply of these commodities) Minckley & Dodson will certainly succeed.

Linn & Scruggs have just received all numbers of Madame Foy's skirt supporting corset, Mrs. S. A. Moody's abdominal corset, and the Jacqueline corset. Also, a complete assortment of hip, gore and French corsets, of superior makes, and at *the lowest price.*

21-d&wtf

Bound Over to Keep the Peace.—In the case of The People vs. Thos. Sheean, which was tried before Justice Albert yesterday, the defendant was placed under bonds of $100 to keep the peace for twelve months. This is a case in which Sheean is charged with an assault upon his wife. As they have several times been before the courts in the same role, we should think it was time for them to quit their fussing, or put themselves so far asunder that they can never come in collision again.

Grangers' Picnic.—The granges of Macon and Shelby counties will hold a grand picnic at Long Creek, five miles south of Macon, on Thursday, Sept. 30. A. Golder, Worthy Master of the State Grange of Illinois, and W. R. Duncan, Esq., of McLean county, will be there to address the people. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and hear those who are true exponents of the order. By order of the COMMITTEE.

Death of a Clergyman.—Rev. Father Walsh, the immediate predecessor of Father Hickey as Pastor of St. Patrick's (Catholic) church in this city, died of consumption, near Joliet, on Monday last, and was buried to-day. Father Walsh made many warm friends during his pastorate here, and his early death will be sincerely lamented by the members of his late parish here, as well as by his friends generally.

Our fall line of Fall Cassimeres and gents' suitings now in stock at Linn & Scruggs. sep3d&wtf.

RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE AND RESPECT.

At a special meeting of Blue Mound Lodge, No. 682, A. F. & A. Masons, held at their hall, Sept. 15th, 1875, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased the Grand Architect of the universe to call our well-beloved Brother, NIMROD BOWLES, from his labors here on earth to an everlasting refreshment in the Celestial Grand Lodge on high, thereby severing another link in our fraternal chain, and rendering desolate a once happy home; Therefore

Resolved, That in the death of Brother Bowles the Lodge has lost a worthy and zealous brother, his family a kind husband and indulgent father, and the community an upright and honest man.

Resolved, That the jewels of the Lodge be draped in mourning for the space of six months.

Resolved, That the above preamble and resolutions be published in the Decatur DAILY REPUBLICAN, and a copy of the same be presented to the family of the deceased

HENRY GOFF,
H. J. YARNELL, } Com.
J. O. DARMER,

DECATUR FREE LIBRARY.

The Library is now open to the public, and every citizen of Decatur is cordially invited to participate in its privileges. A pleasant reading room, furnished with numerous periodicals and newspapers, is connected with the Library, and *everybody* will be made welcome as often as they choose to visit it.

The Librarian especially requests the young people of the city to pass their leisure hours in the reading room.

Those who have not been supplied with guarantees will please call soon and get them.

21-d2t R. L. EVANS, Librarian.

THE RESULT.

OFFICE OF SUP'T OF WATER WORKS, }
DECATUR, ILL., Sept 22, 1875. }

The result of the trial of water works last evening was as follows:

		Pressure per sq. inch,	Water thrown,
¼ inch stream,		150 pounds,	150 feet.
3	" "	125 "	100 "
4	" "	100 "	75 "
6	" "	90 "	60 "
7	" "	85 "	55 "

S. BURGESS, Sup't.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. R. A. Newell, of Mattoon, is in town, visiting friends.

Mr. S. Einstein returned from the East yesterday, where he has been to purchase goods.

DAVIS' NURSERIES.

Has now ready for fall delivery 200,000 Apple Trees, 10,000 Evergreens, 20,000 Shade Trees; also, hundreds of Cherry, Pear, Peach and Plum Trees, Grape Roots, &c. Order at once. Anything in the nursery line—will set and insure this fall, if wanted. Prices and catalogues on application to

H. W. DAVIS,
Box 141, Decatur, Ill.

PURE BRED FOWLS.

I have also for sale at my Nurseries, 200 to 300 Pure Bred Fowls, raised this year, of the following breeds: Buff Cochin, Black Cochin, Partridge Cochin, Light Brahmas, Dark Brahmas, Plymouth Rocks and Houdans.

Also, the best WATER ELEVATOR known; draws with two buckets. Throw out your pumps and draw off the surface water and preserve your health. Prices and description on application to

H. W. DAVIS,
sep22-dawtfms Decatur, Ill.

..There is an unusually large amount of litigation in the Justice's courts at present, and some of the cases will be taken to the circuit court by appeal. In many of these suits the cost of litigation will be several times the amount in dispute. Men are often willing to pay roundly for having their own way, and then sometimes don't do it.

Monthly Meeting.—The regular monthly meeting of the Decatur Savings Fund and Building association will take place at the office of the County Treasurer, on Thursday evening, Sept. 23.

New Meat Market.—We call attention to the advertisement of Lyon & Chappell, of their meat markets, one on Franklin street, and the other at the corner of Monroe and Eldorado streets, near the mound. They will do the square thing by their patrons, both in the quality and price of their goods. All who want anything in their line will find it to their interest to give them a call. [21-d4t

For the largest and most complete stock of CLOCKS, of all kinds in the city, go in and look at Curtis & Righter's. They are taking the lead in their line of business. [21-d5t

Call at Linn & Scruggs and see their full line of cassimeres, just received. sep3d&wtf.

V. Barber & Co. have just received a complete assortment of fall styles of boots and shoes, and open the campaign with one of the most complete and select stocks in their line ever opened in Macon county. It is a treat to look through their store.

MARRIED.

In this city, Tuesday evening, Sept. 21st, by Rev. Charles Holmes, Mr. RICHARD DYER and MISS MIMA PORTER, all of Decatur.

In this city, on Tuesday, Sept. 21st, by Rev. O. V. Keniston, Mr. E. D. DENSON, of Oreana, and MISS SALINE LARIMORE, of Decatur.

At the residence of Mrs. Hutchison of this city, on Wednesday morning, Sept. 15th, by Rev. D. P. Bunn, Mr. REUBEN G. BENNETT and Miss CHARLOTTE E. HUTCHISON, all of Decatur.

A FORMAL DEMAND.

Gov. Ames, of Mississippi, has made a formal demand on the President for assistance in maintaining order in that State. There will be great interest felt among the people, awaiting the reply of the President, who has said that Gov. Ames must first exhaust the resources of the State government in endeavoring to quell disturbances, before any demand for federal interference will be listened to. There is no evidence, that we have seen, going to show that the state executive has made use of the means ordinarily at the command of governors for maintaining domestic order, and the general sentiment of the people of the northern states—albeit they are almost a unit in their feelings of opposition to all such outrages as those perpetrated recently in Mississippi—seems to be not far removed from one of disgust towards an officer who appears to have in him so little of the stuff that men are made of. If Gov. Ames wants the sympathy of the good people of this country he must act like the governor of a state ought to act, instead of relying upon whining appeals to the President for help. "God helps those who help themselves."

ONE of County Treasurer Park's clerks was paid for 160 days' work this year, at the rate of $2.50 per day.—Dr. Curtis and Wm. M. Boyd have performed the duties of the office heretofore with little or no assistance.—George M. Wood can do the same. Mr. Park's friends say *he* cannot. Well, then, let us retire him and elect a man who can.

DUKE ALEXIS' DIVORCE.

The London *News'* Paris correspondent writes: We have been told from St. Petersburg that the Grand Duke Alexis, son of the Czar, is just divorced. His wife was a German maid of honor, for whom the Empress had a great affection. She was not pretty, I am told, but extraordinarily graceful, and possessed of that fascination which is a better gift than beauty. So the Grand Duke fell over heads and ears in love, and the lady, confiding in her mistress affection, undertook to break the news. It was done, and a few hours afterward the lady found herself traveling at express speed toward the frontier, while the Prince received orders to join his ship. Thus they were separated for awhile. But it is hard to control a prince, harder to rule a sailor; and a sailor prince in love must be worse to hold than quicksilver. The Grand Duke ran away, of course, found the lady, and married her at a village church in Germany. Thence they went to America, where for two years they dwelt in perfect happiness. The Czar, it is said, would not forgive, per would the Prince humble himself. But the Empress interposed at length, both for her son and her ex maid of honor. And so, after a time, a reconciliation took place. This week the solemnities of the divorce are all completed; the Grand Duke enters the army, and the widow receives a pension. Seeing she is but 21, she has time for more romantic adventures, but greater she can scarcely hope for.

FROM an amusing letter on Chicago's moral uncleanliness, published in the Vicksburg (Miss.) *Herald*, we clip the following:

It was Chicago that, after the War, sent a lot of Confederate money South in response to an appeal for aid after some calamity. I don't think I am mistaken in this story, though I can't just now name the places and dates. I have, however, heard it frequently.

The correspondent has got things a little mixed. The Confederate money was sent from the South to Chicago when 100,000 of her citizens were naked, starving, and calling for aid after the Great Fire of 1871. The South responded, as did every other part of the civilized earth, generously and promptly. This solitary act of mockery was the work of some individual who disgraced, by living in it, a Southern State.—*Chicago Tribune.*

SPRINGFIELD COAL.

We have this day appointed J. E. Kinney Agent for our celebrated Springfield coal. Mr. Kinney is now prepared to fill all orders in any quantities, by the car or ton, and we solicit a share of public patronage. Office and yard at Water street railroad crossing.

J. D. CRABB, Sup't
aug31-d1m Junction Coal Co.

COAL! COAL!!

The Western Coal and Mining Co. are filling orders for any quantity of superior Howlett, Anthracite, Block and Blacksmith Coal, to any part of the city, at lowest prices.

Office at Water street crossing of T., W. & W. R'y.

18-d R. MCCLELLAND, Ag't.

GROCERIES.

If you want them pure and n-
At a reasonable pr-
Follow no new dev-
But send to us in a tr- } ICE

For we have the best stock ever offered in this city. E. B. PRATT & SON.

sep8-d1m

The coming man is he who owes you.

List of Letters Remaining in the Post Office, at Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, Sept. 22d, 1875.

Abbet C	Miller Susie
Aston Hannah	McGeorge Joshua 3
Brady C W	Nolan Julia
Bohr Henry	Nolen John
Bowhal James	Newport Lina
Barns Joseph	Perry Albert
Broadwell L B	Richards B B
Cochran A F	Rudy Katie
Conner Charles E	Roberts Lizzie
Donohew Jacob	Sandford Jas
Davis R N	Selbert P R
Fahs Henry R	Stuart Andrew J
Gutshall F	Smith Adam S
Galvin Pat	Spooner Eliza J
Hothorton Andrew	Stewart Hannah
Haines Anna (2)	Stephenson J W
Hopping Irvin	Solt Call
Kennedy E W	Trevis Thomas E
King W R	Uwing Jack V
Larrol Jeremiah	Williams Mr
Montgomery James	Wilson J W
Moser Philander B	Woodley Jane
Megee Sallie	

Foreign—Berg Ph M.

R. P. LYTLE, Postmaster.

A Saving of Fifty Per Cent.—Aside from its purity and healthfulness, those who use Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder will save fully fifty per cent., as it requires one-third less powder to same amount of flour than any other baking powders in the market. Only two teaspoonfuls of Dr. Price's powder to a quart of flour is needed to produce the finest biscuits, cakes, etc. Be certain that Dr. Price's name is on the box, as unprincipled persons obviously find it easier to appropriate the language of the label—steal the name—than imitate the powder. Steele & Price are the only manufacturers of Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder and his True Flavoring Extracts. dawlw

Lounges and Mattresses, cheap, at Ashby's, Opera Block. aug24tf

For Sale.—A two-story brick house, situated on the corner of Franklin and Eldorado streets, directly west from Stapp's Chapel. Said house is on a lot 80x160 feet, and has a good well and cistern, with gas fixtures, and all modern conveniences; also a good stable.

For further information apply at the office of the Decatur Woolen Mill. 17-dtf

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a reasonable price. [sept 1-d1m

Gents' Suits made to order in the the very latest style at.

sep3d&wtf. LINN & SCRUGGS.

Pike, the Jeweler, is agent for the sale of the best brands of American watches

THE RUSH TO KANSAS AND COLORADO.

The indications are that the rush to Kansas and Colorado will be greater than ever in 1874. The shortest way to reach the Far West is through St. Louis, the great Mississippi-Valley City, of over 450,000 inhabitants, and thence west over the St. Louis, Kansas City and Northern Short Line, which reaches all the great land grants in the West, and runs six fast Express trains, two more than any other road, between the Mississippi and Missouri Rivers. This road, in the last two years, has expended over two million dollars, besides earnings, in extraordinary improvement of roadway, in relaying its line with best quality of new steel and iron rails, on broad, new ties, and in passenger equipment, having substituted for ordinary cars new reclining chair coaches, with every appliance for comfort and safety, being elegantly carpeted and fitted with dressing rooms, with toilet conveniences for ladies, gentlemen and families traveling with children, *free of any extra charge.* Any ticket agent selling through tickets to the West will furnish tickets by this excellent route through St. Louis, over the St. Louis, Kansas City and Northern Short Line, the best and shortest to Kansas, Colorado, Nebraska, California and the Great West, it being the only line running through cars between St. Louis and Omaha. For map, circulars and time-tables address either F. A. Palmer, Indianapolis, Ind.; or P. B. Groat, St. Louis, Mo., either of whom will furnish any information desired. [jan 8wtf

RETAIL MARKET.

Grapes, per pound	10
Tomatoes, per dozen	5
Pears, per box	1 50@1.75
Peaches, per box	1 50@1.75
Green Corn, per dozen	10
Squashes, apiece	5
Green apples, per box	50
Plums, per quart	15
String Beans, per peck	25
Gooseberries, " quart	15
Cucumbers, per doz	10
New Potatoes per peck	30
Onions, per peck	30
Beets, per peck	15
Turnips, per peck	25
Chickens, per dozen	2.50@3.00
Sweet Potatoes, per peck	60
New Cabbage, per head	5@15
Cider, per gallon	60
Vinegar, "	30
Eggs, " dozen	15
Butter packed, per pound	25
" fresh, "	30

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, September 22, 1875.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	1.00
" White "	1.25
FLOUR—white wheat, ₱ hundred	4.00
" red "	3.50
" superfine "	2.50
" middlings, "	1.50
CORN MEAL—₱ bushel	80
RYE—₱ bushel	80
CORN—₱ bushel	65
" shelled, per bush	75
HAY—Timothy, ₱ ton	12.00
OATS—₱ bushel	50@55
BUCKWHEAT—₱ bushel	60
FLAXSEED—₱ bushel	1.60@1.75
TIMOTHY SEED—₱ bushel	3.00
CLOVER SEED "	7.00
BLUE GRASS— "	2.00
ORCHARD GRASS, "	3.00
REDTOP— "	2.50
HUNGARIAN "	1.50
BEANS—₱ bushel	2.00
BUTTER—₱ ₱	25
EGGS—per doz	12½
LARD—₱ ₱	15
BACON—Sides	12@13
HAMS—sugar-cured	12@14
SHOULDERS—per ₱	10
HOGS—Live, per hundred	6.50@7.00
CATTLE— " "	4.50@6.00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	5.00
" " sheared	3.50
NEW POTATOES—per bu	40
PEACHES—Dried, per ₱	8
APPLES— "	8
" Green ₱ bu	2.00
WOOL—Unwashed, light & medium	25@27
" " heavy fine	25@27
" " combing	25@30
" Fleeceswash'd, choice	40
" " fine & heavy	30@35
" Tubwashed, choice	45
" " inferior	40@42
HIDES—Green, ₱ ₱	4
" Salted cured,	6@6½
" Calf,	9
" Dry salt	10
" Dry Flint	12
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SHEARLING PELTS	15@20
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" Common, ₱ ₱	35@40
TALLOW—Cake	4
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August 23, 1875—d&wtf

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

—OF—

REAL ESTATE!

Abner Yates, Administrator of the estate of Richard Yates, deceased, vs. Catherine Woodman, Henry Yates, Catherine Yates, and Richard Yates, Jr.

DECREE FOR SALE OF LANDS TO PAY DEBTS.

PURSUANT to a decree rendered by the County Court of the county of Macon, and State of Illinois, at the March term, 1875, in the above entitled cause, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the Court-House, in the town of Decatur, in the county of Macon, and State of Illinois, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of

Thursday, 14th day of October, 1875,

all the right, title and interest of the defendants, and being an undivided one-half part of the following described lots in Decatur, in said county, to-wit:

Lots No. 3, 7, 6, 8, 8, 9 and 10, in block No. 1, and the undivided half of lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, in block No. 1, in Yates & King's Addition to Decatur, and also the undivided half of lot 1, in block No. 6, in Allen & Medley's 4th Addition to Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, said sale will be made subject to a mortgage made by said Richard Yates and wife to Henry Bishop, dated May 8th, 1874, with interest, to secure a note of the said Richard Yates for one thousand dollars, said mortgage being on all of said lots except lot 10, in block 1.

TERMS OF SALE:—Said sale will be made for one-third of the purchase money cash, and the remainder payable in six and twelve months from day of sale, with ten per cent. interest per annum from date of sale, the purchaser to execute notes with approved personal security on the same, and a said mortgage on the property purchased, to secure the payment of the purchase money. The undersigned will execute deeds for the property sold, upon the purchaser complying with the terms of the sale. ABNER YATES,

Administrator of estate of Richard Yates, deceased.

Decatur, Sept. 14, 1875—d1w

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

Macon County Circuit Court.

In the matter of Jemima Wright, vs. Mary Platt, Ann Platt, Percival Platt, Kate Chichester, Emma Chichester, Edward Platt, Laura Platt, Albert L. Platt, George Platt, Jane Platt, also called Jennie Platt, William Platt, Walter Platt, Charles Platt, Sarah A. Platt, Robert Mayhew, Abner Smith M. Gordon and James G. Platt.

ON BILL TO FORECLOSE MORTGAGE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause, in said court, at the May term, A. D. 1875, I, L. A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court,

On Monday, the 18th day of October,

A. D. 1875 between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and sunset of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court-house in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lots fifteen (15) and four (4), in block two (2), in Walt & Co's addition to the town of Decatur, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments in law to belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption. L. A. BROWN,

Master in Chancery.

DECATUR, Sept. 17th, A. D. 1875—d&w

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